



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 745969-128											
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION (37 CFR 1.8(a)) I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop _____, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, or being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO at _____, on _____. Signature: _____ Name: _____		In re Application of Francois LEBLOND, et al.											
		Application Number: 10/686,789 Filed: October 17, 2003 For: SEMI-PERMEABLE MICROCAPSULE WITH COVALENTLY LINKED LAYERS AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAME											
		Group Art Unit: 1651	Examiner: Satyendra K. Singh										
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) - (\$60/\$120)</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) - (\$225/\$450)</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) - (\$510/\$1020)</td><td>\$ <u>1,020.00</u></td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) - (\$795/\$1590)</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) - (\$1080/\$2160)</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr></table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check to cover the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>19-2380</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 43,224.</p> <p>_____ Signature Carlos R. Villamar Typed or printed name</p> <p>02/13/2006 February 10, 2006 0065 192388 10686789 Date 01 FC:1253 1020.00 DA (202) 585-8204 Telephone Number</p> <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.</p>				<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) - (\$60/\$120)	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) - (\$225/\$450)	\$ _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) - (\$510/\$1020)	\$ <u>1,020.00</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) - (\$795/\$1590)	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) - (\$1080/\$2160)	\$ _____
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In re PATENT application of:)
Francois LEBLOND , <i>et al.</i>) Confirmation No. 7711
Application No. 10/686,789) Group Art Unit: 1651
Filed: October 17, 2003) Examiner: Satyendra K. Singh
For: SEMI-PERMEABLE)
MICROCAPSULE WITH)
COVALENTLY LINKED LAYERS)
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING)
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**REQUEST FOR REFUND
(37 C.F.R. §1.28(a))**

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Attention: Refund Branch, Accounting Division, Office of Finance

Sirs:

On February 10, 2006, an Amendment and Petition for Extension of Time was filed in the above-identified patent application. The Commissioner was authorizing to charge the deposit account No. 19-2380 in the amount of \$1,020.00 for the three (3) extension of time fee. The appropriate fees for a small entity are \$510.00. Submitted herewith is a Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status – Independent Inventor for filing in this application.

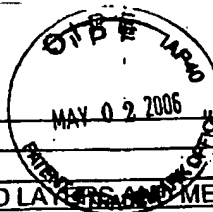
Applicant or Patentee: HALLÉ, Jean-Pierre and LEBLOND, François

Serial or Patent No.: 10/686,789

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Filed or Issued: Filed October 17th, 2003

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**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(b)) – INDEPENDENT INVENTOR**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees under Sections 41 (a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the invention entitled: SEMI-PERMEABLE MICROCAPSULE WITH COVALENTLY LINKED LAYERS AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

described in:

☐ the specification filed herewith

☒ application serial No. 10/686.789, filed October 17th, 2003

☐ patent No. _____, issued _____

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I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b)).

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that wilful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such wilful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

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